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STATE FOR CU/IV/V: AID FOR DR. P. HANEY

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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE

1. PRINCIPAL OF NIGERIAS PREMIER GIRLS SECONDARY SCHOOL, MRS. I.E. COKER OF QUEENS COLLEGE, HAS RECEIVED FMG GRANT TO STUDY " DIVERSIFIED CURRICULUM" IN U.S. FOR THREE MONTHS. SHE WISHES STUDY ON WEST COAST, PERHAAPS UCLA OR STANFORD, OR WHEREVER APPROPRIATE PROGRAM CAN BE ARRANGED.

2. QUEENS COLLEGE IS FEDRALLY SPONSORED SCHOOL SERVING ENTIRE COUNTRY. ENROLLMENT NOW NUMBERS 500 BUT EXPECTED TO REACH 1,000 IN NEXT FEW YEARS, AS SCHOOL AFORDS MORE OF COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH. FORMING NIGERIAS FEMALE CREAM OF THE CROP, MOST GRADUATES CONTINUE TO HIGHER EDUCATION AND MANY LEADERS HAVE COME FROM THEIR RANKS. MRS. COKER IS FIRST NIGERIAN TO HEAD SCHOOL AND HAS BEEN USEFUL CONTACT FOR USIS OFFICERS.

3. WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT CONTACTING SEVERAL UNIVERSITIES RE POSSIBILITIES FOR THREE MONTH OBSERVATION COURSE FOR MRS. COKER. ALSO REQUEST VISITS TO COMPREHENSIVE HIGH SCHOOLS IN OTHER PARTS OF COUNTRY, SUCH AS HAGERSTOWN (MD), WHERE SHE CAN OBSERVE VOCATIONAL TRAINING PROGRAMS.

4. RE POSSIBILITIES, SUGGEST FOLLOWING PERSONS BE CONTACTED:

(J) PROFF. JERRY E. WULK, DIRECTOR, OFFICE FOR INTERNATIONAL

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STUDENTS AND SCHOLARS, UCLA.

(B) DR. JAMES GIBBS, STANFORD UNIVERSITY.

(C) DR. P. HANEY OF AID (BASED ON HIS PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OF LOCAL SITUATION).

5. VISITOR WISHES PROGRAM FOR APRIL-JUNE, 1975. WILL SUBMIT BIODATA LATER.

6. ADVISE.
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